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PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS the National Safety Council is conducting a nation-wide campaign to enlist every American in a united attack on accidents that hinder the nation's war effort; and

WHEREAS the heavy July accident toll - which last year took the lives of 8,750 Americans - illustrates the dissipation of our manpower and the needless waste of human and material resources so vitally needed for victory; and

WHEREAS the safe observance of the Independence Day holiday and enlistment in the total war on accidents is the patriotic duty of every citizen:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, M Q SHARPE, Governor of the state of South Dakota, by virtue of the authority vested in me, do hereby call upon every citizen to join wholeheartedly in support of this safety campaign. With the future of our nation at stake, every business and industry should enlist in this campaign and every citizen should exercise increased vigilance and caution, in daily work, and in leisure time activities over the Fourth of July holiday. We cannot let accidents continue to sap our national strength.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota to be affixed at Pierre, this 15th day of June 1943.

(Great Seal)

M Q Sharpe  
Governor

ATTEST:

Mrs L M Larsen  
Secretary of State